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100		TO ANTICO	AUCTIONS	AUCTIONS.	INTIMATIONS.	NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.	INTIMATIONS.
1.	SHIPPING.	BANKS.			TITE TION OF THE TATE OF THE PROPERTY OF THE P	TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO, EX O. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "HECTOR,"	THEATRE ROYAL.
	AIURI VALIG	ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.	OFF	FINE Undersigned has received instructions	COMPANY, LIMITED.	FROM LIVERPOOL.	En Citation
	March 29, Ninoro, British stoamer, 761, Cass, Canton 29th March, General,—		PROPERTIES.	Anotion at his Residence, No. 129, Spring	ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING	HIPPING Orders must be obtained from the	CITY HALL.
	SIEMSSEN & Co.	PAID-UP CAPITAL £1,500,000.	Situate at Victoria, Hongkong. TO BE SOLD	Candona (Ondon's Road Mish).	of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited, will be held at the Company's Office,	Undersigned not later than the 2nd April, for shipment per steamer "MENELAUS."	UNDER DISTINGUISHED PATRONAGE,
19	March 29, FEIWAN, Chinese gunboat, from Canton.	BANK OF ENGLAND	MONDAY, TUESDAY, and WEDNESDAY,	12. Onth Som of March 1882 at 2 P M	Hongkong, THISDAY, the 30th day of March, 1883, at Noon, when the subjoined Resolution	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.	THE OFFICERS OF "THE BUFFS."
	March 29, VIOILANT, British paddle dv., from a cruise.	Union Bank of London, Limited, Bank of Scotland, London.	the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th of April, 1883.	HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,	will be proposed. RESOLUTION.	OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.	LADY AMATEURS.
1	March 29, PENORSCOT, American bark, 1,133,	RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWID	R. J. M. GUEDES, acting under in- structions from the MORTGAGEE, will	DINING, DRAWING, and BED ROOM		CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer	CHARLES SMITH CHELTENAM'S
	O. L. Eaton, Newcastle (N.S.W.) 31st Jan., Coals.—Order.	We 3 Mouths, Morros, a bat Cepter bor manage	Sell on the respective Premises by Public Anction the following	A COTTAGE PIANO	Company and do cease to form portion of	are hereby notified that the Cargo is heing dis-	COMEDY IN THREE ACTS.
		THE REPORT OF THE PROPERTY AND ADDRESS OF THE PARTY OF TH	VALUABLE PIECES OF GROUND	Complete OUTFITS for PHOTOGRAPHERS,	day of April, 1883, and that the tollowing	of the Tinderwigned, in both cases it will lie at	ORLANDO MIDDLE:) aco po vision
	Feb., Coals.—Captain. March 29, Albany, British stenmer, 1,488,	Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.	ing days, on MONDAY.	Maylor, and Elliot.	do form portion of the Articles of Associa-	Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the	MARK Capt. NEWNHAM DAVIS.
	Take Dayle Salten 24th Marun 1960		the 2nd of April, 1883, at 3 P.M.,	TERMS.—Cash.	tion of the Company from the last men- tioned day and be numbered 30.	25th March, 1883.	BARRLEBROOKMr. H. SOMERSET.
1	March 29, PERING, British str., 954, Drewes,	A. A. ONCKONG S SHWARPHAT DANKING	ing North 24 feet 9 inches, South 29 feet 9 inches, East 83 feet 9 inches, and West 68	TEOP TEOP	30.—That the Company may with the Sanction of a Special Resolution previously given in	will be subject to Rent.	Miss Lestie Mrs. WOODRINE.
· .	Saigon 24th March, Rice.—SIEMSSEN	DATE TO CAPITAL 5,000,000 of Dollars.	feet, on which is erected the Substantia	THE TO A HOUTON	Meeting sub-divide the existing Shares of the Company into Shares of such amount	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hougkong, 26th March, 1883. [588]	Miss ANASTASIA Mrs. CHERVAU.
	March 29, C. H. KIAN, British Steamer, voo,	RESERVE FUND	known as the "Star Hotel," Grown ron	THE Undersigned this received instructions	as the Merting shall direct.	INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.	The String Band of the Regiment will play between the Acts.
, .	F. Webb. Amoy 28th March, General. Bun Hin & Co.	Chairman—WM. REINERS, Esq. Deputy Chairman—W. S. Young, Esq.	339.22. This Lot is sold subject to an existing Lesse thereof for a period of ten year	Public Auction.	General Managers., Hongkong, dated the 30th day of March, 1883.	FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND	The Proceeds of this Performance will be
Α.	March 29, Lennox, British steamer, 1,327, Scott, Calcutta 15th March, General,—	137 T. Televisorio 1887. A. MCIVET. 1894.	Lot No. 2—All that piece of GROUND mea	TO-MORROW, the 31st March, 1283, at 2 P.M., at his	[494	SINGAPORE.	divided amongst the local Charities.
	JARDINE, MATRESON & Co. March 29, Monocady, American g-bt., from	Hon. F. B. Johnson. M. E. Sassoon, Esq. A. P. McEwon, Esq. C. Vincent Smith, Esq.	suring North 15 feet, South 14 feet, Eus 89 feet, and West 83 feet 9 inches, on which	THE WHOLE OF HIS	CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.	having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees	Stalls and Dress Circle, S2; Pit, \$1. Doors open at 8.30 to commence at 9.
	Canton.	Hongkong-Thomas Jackson, Esq.,	is erected the Substantial HOUSE No. 16. Queen's Road Central. Crown Rent \$19.61	Comprising	TOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-	of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their	Warsha
	March 29, Whampon, British steamer, 1,109, J. E. Williams, Saigon 25th March,	Shanghai—EWEN CAMERON, ESq.	Lot No. 3 All that piece of GROUNT men suring North 15 feet 9 inches, South 14 fee	POOM SITTED	HOT DELYS will be held at the Company's	tersignature and to take immediate delivery of	GOD SAVE THE QUEEN. Hongkong, 26th March, 1883. [599]
-	Rice.—BUITERPIELD & SWIRE.	HONGROND—INTEREST ALLOWED.	. I which is evented the Substantial HUUS.	PLATROPE TABLE OFFOMAN. MARSBUR	Office, No. 7, Queen's Read Central, at TWELVE O'CLOCK, NOON, on WEDNESDAY, the 4th	Cargo modernia	
•	OLEARANOES.	On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per Annum on the daily balance.	No. 169, Queen's Road Central. Crow Rent \$19.61.	NOT GILT PRAMED CHIMNEY GLASS	April 1883, when the Special Resolutions passed at the Extraordinary Meeting of Share	expanse. TANDINE MATTHESON & Co.	200
	AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. MARCH 29TH.	On Fixed Deposits :- For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum.	Lot No. 4.—All that piece of GROUND men suring North 15 feet 6 inches, South 1	4 STUD PARLE DINNER, DESSERT and	holders of the Company held on SATUEDAY, the 17th instant, will be submitted for confirmation	A 2.136	IN THE VICE ADMIBALTY COURT OF HONGKONG.
	Rwangtung, British str., for Swatow. Greyhound, British str., for Hollow.	For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum.	feet 6 inches, East 90 feet, West 90 feet on which is creeted the Substantial HOUS	DYATEDWARE	General Agents,	FROM L'INDON AND SINGAPORE.	THE "CHANDERNAGOR."
i e s	Hesperia, German str., for Saigon Teucer, British str., Singapore.	LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. CREDITS granted on approved Securities, an	No. 153, Queen's Road Central, Crow Rout 319.61.	THE CONTRACT TO DESCRIPTION OF REAL			SATURDAY, the 7th April Next, at
-	Ningpo, British str., for Shanghai. Rivai-yusa, Chinese str., for Shanghai.	every description of Banking and Firehang	On TUESDAY, the 3rd of April, at 8 P.M.	TO THE PROPERTY OF THE PARTY OF	THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	I a d I a la l	Moon Sall the above Ship as she will then ito
	Vorwaeris, German str., for Touron.	business transacted. DRAFTS granted on London, and the chie commercial places in Europe, India, Australia	I Lot No. 1. All that piece of GROUND mo	TABLES MARBLE TOP WASHSTANDS DAVENPORT, CHEST OF DRAWERS	OPDINACY GENERAL MEETING	of Cargo are heroby informed that their Goods with the exception of Opium, are being lander	Masts, Chains, Tackle, Apparel, and Provisions.
	Hothow, British str., for Swatow. Yangteze, British str., for Saigon.	America, Chine and Japan. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.	foot, East B6 feet, and West 90 feet, of which is erected the HOUSE No. 18	OAK CHAIRS and CHAVING-GLASS. A SEMI-GRAND PLANO, by J. BROAD	The same and the s	signed, whence and from the Wharves or Boats	
· pr	Elmstone, British bark, for Manila. Antoinette, British bark, for Saigon.	Offices of the Corporation,	Wallington Street, Crown Rent \$19.01.	WOOD & SONS.	Hongkoug, on SATURDAY, the 14th day of April, 1883, at 12.15 in the AFTERNOON, whe	delivery may be obtained. Ontional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice	Marshal
	DEPARTURES.	No. 1. Queen's Road East, 81 Hongkong, 27th February, 1883.	Let No. 2.—All that piece of GROUND me suring North 16 feet 9 inches, South	THEMS OF SALE—As customery.	the Subjoined Resolution will be proposed. RESOLUTION.	to the contrary be given before THREE P.M.	Hongkong, 30th March, 1883.
13	March 29, GERD HEYE, German bark, fo	NOTICES OF FIRMS.	by 8 feet 6 inches, East 21 feet 6 inches 60 feet 8 inches, and West 86 feet,	J. M. ARMSTI ONG,	That each of the existing Shares of the Company be divided into four Shares of S.	O Druging with ne wholese so terra-	TO BE LET.
	March 20, ADELE, German bark, for Chefoo	O. NOTELOR	which is erected the HOUSE No. 17 Wellington Street. Crown Rent \$19.6	Hongkong, 20th Martin, 14, co.	upon each of which the sum of \$50 s. all credited as paid up.	Bills of Lading will be countersigned by	QUEEN's ROAD, in rear of Oriental
	March 29, Chusader, British str., for Saigor March 29, VORWARETS, German steamer, for	1.	This Lot is sold subject to a right way to the occupiers of the neighbouring	ov .	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,	A A STATE OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PARTY OF TH	6 Apply to LINSTEAD & DAVIS.
	March 29, HWAI-YUEN, Chinese steamer, fo	TRING my absence Mr. STEWAR	T Houses on Inland Lot No. 8, through over and upon a Lane or passage (to a height	OF WARE AND CURIOS.	Hongkong, dated the 19th day of March, 198		Hongkong, 30th March, 1883.
ii ii	Shanghai.	per producation.	the South-East boundaries of the said 1	ot FRIHE Undersigned has repeived instruction	is Lo	GERMAN BARQUE "PHOENIX," CAT	FOR NINGPO AND SHANGHAI.
	March 29, Teuces, British steamer, for Shanghai.	WM. CRUICKSHANK. Hongkong, 27th March, 1888. [6	and is 21 feet 6 inches long by 8 feet inches broad.	TO-MORROW.	INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION	DIEWITZ, FROM HAMBURG. ONBIGNEES of Cargo by the above vess	al "NINGPO."
	PASSENGERS.	THE EASTERN EXTENSION AUSTR. LASIA AND CHINA TELEGRAPH	On WEDNESDAY. the 4th of April, at 3 P.M.	the 31st March, 1883, at 2 P.M., at his Sales Rooms, Peddar's Wharf Buildings,	COMPANY, LIMITED.	of Lading to the Undersigned for counter	Cantain R. Cass, will be despatched for the
4	Per Poking, str., from Saigon.—6 Chinese.	COMPANY, LIMITED.	Lot No. 1.—All that piece of GROUND m		TOY ORDER of the BOARD OF DIRECTO	signature and to take immediate delivery of the Goods. Correct impeding the discharge will be landered.	Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to
1 . m	Per Albany, str., from Suigon.—5 Chinese. Per Penobecoi, bk., from Newcastle.—Messi	Superintendent at this Station, from	Part of the West 49 foot 6 inches and W	est FINELY PAINTED SATSUMA, MIAC	o bany are hereby notified that under Section	LL and stored at Consigners' risk and expense.	SIEMSSEN & Co.
	W. W. Dodge and T. M. McNuir. Per Harvard, bk., from Newcastle: Mess:	TO-DAY.	are erected the three Substantial HOUS.	ES ORLAIN VASES INCENSE JAR	S of Thirty Shillings per Share has been ma	Agents.	FOR MANILA AND CEBU.
4.5	John W. Pray and J. E. Barnard. Per Cheang H. Kian, str., from Amoy.—6:	Superintendent.	and 176, Wellington Street. Crown 11.	TSUBOS, CORAS, TEA and BREAKFAS SETS, JARS. BOWLS, PLATES, BRO	SHAREHOLDERS are therefore requested make the said payment at 3/7% per doll	ST CHIEF AND CHIEF AND AND PROPERTY	HE Steamship
Ž.	Chinese. Pet Lennoz, sir., from Calcutta.—Massrs. H	Hongkong, 24th March, 1883.	right of way (to a height of 15 feet) to occupiers of the neighbouring. Houses	the BINETS, CURIOS, BRASS and SATSUM	A exchange 38.90 per Share, to the HONGKO	TO COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES	"MINDANAO," Captain Tremoya, is Postponed till TO-
1	and Kenny. Per Whampon, str., from Saigon.—28 Chinese	110220	Inland Lot No. 8, through over and upo	P. S. POY'S SCREENS.	or its Agencies on or before the above named day Any Calls not paid by the 2nd April are	MARITIMES.	MORROW, the 31ts instant, at Four P.M.
. *	DEPARTED. Per Orion, str., for Trieste, &c850 Chine	the Tree Tug AND LIGHTER COMPA	NY remainir along the whole of 1998.	Catalogues will be issued previous to the Sa and the above will be on view on FRIDAY,	le, Section 22 of the Articles of Association line	NOTIQE.	DUNN, MELBYE & Co.
	REPORTS	JAMES WATTS,	- I Lot No. 2 All that piece of Grado No.	180 - Out Instant	cent per Annum from the due date until that	"INDUS & GANGE,"	FOR MANTLA VIA AMOY.
	The British steamer Change H. Kinn repor	rts Taku, 1st January, 1883.	South 4 feet 9 inches, East 50 feet 9 inches, on which	des G. R. LAMMERT	General Managers.	Starmer, are hereby informed that their theor	HE Spanish Steamer
(i)	left Amoy on the 28th inst., and had modern N.E. winds and bazy weather.	1,01101.	erepted the HOUSE No. 170, Welling	ton Hongkong, 27th March, 1883.	/11	- Value bles are being landed and stored at the	"DON JUAN,"
	The American bark Harvard reports le Newcastle on the 13th Feb., and had light wir	eft WE have authorised Mr. FRIEDRIC	THE THE REST. OF A 19 AND A SECOND ASSESSMENT OF THE	PUBLIC AUCTION	INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION	risks at the Company's Godowns, whence delive may be obtained immediately after landing.	on MONDAY, the 2nd April, at FIVE P.M.
	and fine weather through the entire passage.	Firm from this date.	Lat O Suches Blook 50 Pool 5 Inches	and VALHARLE PROPERTY	COMPANY, LIMITED.	intimation is received from the Consignees	BRANDAO & Co.,
	The British steamer Albany reports left S con on the 24th inst., and had fine weather a	nd November	the HOUSE No. 168, Wellington Str Crown Rent \$12.00.	eet. FETHE Undersigned has received instruction	THE BOOKS FOR REGISTRATION TRANSFER OF SHARES in the al-	ove requesting it to be innear ners.	Hongkong, 80th March, 1883. [631
1.4	smooth see until the 28th inst., when experient strong see and wind from N.E.	ped Three Tand Responsibility	of Lot No. 4. All that piece of GROUND to	feet to Sell by Public Auction,	Company will be CLOSED here from the 2 Instant until the 2nd proxime, both d	2nd Bills of Lading will be confidently of	GUTD COMPANY LIMITED
	The British steamer Whampon reports 1	left Mr. HENRY LISTON DALKYMP.	10 inches, East 49 feet 1 inch and W	the 31st day of March, 1888, at 5 P.M., on the Premises.	inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.	the 2nd April, at Noon; will be subject	FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.
	Baigon on the 25th inst., and had light Will and flue weather for the first part of the passa.	ge; SELL in our firm has CEASED and it is CLO	M- HOUSE No. 166, Wellington Str Crown Rent \$12.00.	CHINESE HOUSES, in Hollyway	LT General Managera.	190 All Claims must be sent in to me before	the THE Company's Steamship
	latter part shoong winds and houd sea until	PLE being authorized to sign "In Liquida"	Lot No. 5.—All that piece of GROUND n	Road, and known as Nos. 41 to 57. East The above Houses will be Sold in N	ine HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI	Sth April or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected.	Captain Cullen, will be despatched for the above
	The British steamer Lennew reports left C	Jal. 1 March 1999	48 feet 10 inches, and West 49 feet 1 i	nch, Separate Lots subject to existing tenancies	BANKING CORPORATION.	G. DE CHAMPEAUX Agent.	Ports on MONDAY, the 2nd April, at FIVE P.M. For Freight or Passave, apply to RUSSELL & Co.,
100	21st, and Singapore 23rd at 6 p.m., had II	ght	MS Lot No. 6.—All that piece of GROUND). For Particulars, Conditions and Figures, apply to	Share on the 20,000 SHARES N		General Managers.
1.00	winds to 15 N.; thence to port fresh N.E. wi and moderate sea.	I SAMT) KIRKI) N ATO THIS GRA SUBJECTOR TOTAL	ners feet 10 inches, East 48 feet 7 inches,	h 14 and Auctioneer.	ISSUE, of this Corporation, will fall due on Slat March Current, in London, Calcutta, B		Hongkong, 30th March, 1883. [627] OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
	VESSELS ARRIVED IN EUROPE FROM PO	BIRLEY & C	West 48 feet 10 inches, on which is ere	reet. Hongkoug, 29th March, 1888.	bay, Shanuhai, and Hongkong. Registered Shareholders on the 30th Dec ber, 1882, entitled to NEW SHARES, are	em- FROM KOBE AND NAGASAKI.	FOR SHANGHAL
, 5	Per last Mail's Advice).	Tag ingroup contract	Crown Rent \$12.00. LE Lot No. 7.—All that piece of GROUND	BREWER has just received	900 1	the CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above ve	seel (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates fills for Ninggo, Churon, Newgawang, Tientsin,
. 13	Ajax (s.) Shanghai Fab Breconshire (s.) Foochow Fab	& Co. here and has commenced business u	nder foot 10 inches. East 48 feet 3 inches	and SCRAP ALBUMS.	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	of Lading for Countersignature, and to take	do. THE Company's Steamship
	VESSELS EXPECTED AT HONORONG.		West 48 feet 7 inches, on which is ere the HOUSE No. 160, Wellington St	ected CHIT BOOKS.	Let 3174 man Dollar or 355 02 per Share.	Cargo impeding the discharge or remain	rob. "MENELAUS."
H	(Corrected to Date). Johanne	2 Hongkong, 1st March, 1883.	[433] Crown Rent 312.00. Lot No. 8.—All that piece of GROUND	PHOTOGRAPH PRAMES.	charged on Calls unpaid on the Sist March. By Order of the Court of Directors.	1883, will be landed and stored at Consigner expense and risk.	the 5th April,
	Date Newport Nov.	30	suring on the North 14 feet 10 inches, S	South France Ann Goods	T. JACKSON, Chief Mana;	No Fire Insurance will be effected.	For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
. 9	A. & W. C. Penarth Dec	Letters of Administration of the Est	feet 3 inches, on which is erected	the NEW BOOKS.	Hongkong, 16th March, 1883.	[548] Agent, Mitsu Bishi Mail Steamship	Co. Hongkong, 29th March, 1883.
	Meria Magdalena, , namberg	19 of the late JOHN NOBLE will sign all rec	Crown Rent \$12.00.		HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.	Hongkong, 26th March, 1883.	EMPLOYMENT WANTED.
	Importer: Cardiff Dec Elise London Jan. Great Admiral Penarth Jan	JUHN B. CU	[45] suring North 14 feet -10 inches, Sout	and PHOTO ALBUMS FOR CARINETS ONLY.		NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo	BY A TEA INSPECTOR, who has many
	Adolph ObrigPenarthJan	NOTICE:	West 48 feet, on which is erected HOUSE No 156 Wellington S	the New Music.	N the 5th Instant and during the	com- to the undersigned for countersignature,	and Apply to
:	Friedrich LiverpoolJan	19 THOMAS GITTINS, Junior, wil	I De Lot No. 10.—All that piece of the Ound	mes- NEW FANCY GOODS.	Business of the Corporation will be carrie	take immediate delivery. This Cargo has	Care of "DAILY PRESS" Office.
	Hødra Liverpool Jan G. C. Trufant Lordiff Jan British (2)	20 admitted a Partner in our Firm.	Co. feet 10 inches. East 47 feet 5 inches	th 14 -10 Per Cent. for Cash.	in the Premises lately occupied by the Paris and Oriental Steam Navigation Compared. T. JACKSON.	TT. The Terrentian has been affected.	Hongkong, 9th March, 1883.
	Patricio (s.)GlasgowFeb FriedlanderCardiffFeb	The Firm will consist of Mr. JOHN	HN- West 47 feet 9 inches, on which is earth of the HOUSE No. 154. Wellington S	treet. CURIOSITIES.	Chief Manag	er. S. B. Lewis, I Case. Ex "PRINO."	LOST.
	UndinoCardiffFeb MathildaCardiffFeb	6 STONE CHAMBERS, and Mr. THO.	Lot No. 11.—All that piece of GROUND	CHINESE AND JAPANESE CUR	HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA D	A L. No. 118,-1 Case Books, Dr. Emil	COUNTRY CLUB, SHANGHAI, Numbers
•	Elise Cardiff Feb	Foochow, let January, 1889.	1109 suring North 14 feet 1 inch, South 1 8 inches, East 47 feet 2 inches, and	West PICTURES, FURNITURE	COMPANY, LIMITED.	Agent.	any one finding the same is requested to return them to the Undersigned.
	Mingkat Glasgow Feb. Carnarvoushire (s.) London Feb.	6 COMPAGNITO DES MISSONANTES	HOUSE No. 152, Wellington &	ed the E CASSIMBHOY.	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.		C. D. KERR,
110	Autenor (s.) London Feb Menelaus (s.) Liverpool Feb Londonn Costle (s.) London	10 TARTURN PASSAGES are now GRA	Crown Rent \$12.00. Lot No. 12.—All that piece of GROUNI	mea. Opposite City Hall.	The requested to send in a riTATEME	ERS K ELLY AND WALSE SELECTED LIST OF WORKS	OF Shangbai, 12th March, 1883. [56
. F.,	Londonn Castle (s.).LondonFel Carl RitterLiverpoolFel	6. 13 ED by this Company between HO	ONG- suring North 15 feet, Scuth 15 feet I S at East 46 feet 10 inches and West 47 fe	inch. IMPORTANT NOTICE.	Business Contributed during the half	Torch Porcet's Theganers of English Words.	NOTICE.
a a	AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.	the following rates, avillable for re-embars	ment inches, on which is erected the HC No. 150. Wellington Street. Crown	Rent RICE MILLS, VIZ:	be CLUSED.	Edwards' Words, Facts and Phrases.—A	
	J. M. GUEDES.	1st Class. 2nd Class. 3rd C	LASS. S12.00. Let No. 13.—All that piece of GROUNI	SAIGON, AND OF THE	By Order of the Board of Directors, D. GILLIES	A poster B Lamitian Witherning Transfer	
	Household Furniture, &c. At 2 P.M.	after date \$575. \$475. \$24	0. suring North 15 feet 8 inches, Son feet 4 inches, East 46 feet 6 inch	RIZERTE A VAPEUR DE CHOLE es and (A. SPOONER, ED. RENARD & Co	N Socrets Hongkong, 8th March, 1883.	of Missellaneous Information. [486] Wright's Dictionary of Obsolete and Provi	neial UR Entire Stock of MILLINERY an
	ALGAR AND COMPA	N Y 12 Months) ceso 8585 \$2	70. West 46 feet 10 inches, on which is the HOUSE No. 148, Wellington	Street. PORTERS of Snigor Rice, that they	gua- TUTTER PALMER &	Co. Davenport Adams' Dictionary of English.	DRAPERY GOODS. OPERA and EVENING CLOAKS, BAL
vii	HOUSE AND ESTATE AGEN'S RENTS COLLECTED.	of arrival) G. DE CHAMPEA	Crown Rent \$12.00.	rantee the quantity of Paddy stipulated to	stract your on Figure West Highmont in Er	Bartlett's The Shakspeare Phrase Book.	per vard.
	BROWN, JONES & CO., UNDERTAKERS,	Honokono 23rd Robins vy 1883	held for the residue of a term of 999	years Price for each cutty of Paddy, contained to	n the 1847. The year of our Establishment in	THE SPORE IN THE PROPERTY OF T	MERINO, BRI COTTON STOCKINGS and SOCKE ions. Taken Lack and Musica Handke
	MOURNING STATIONERY, &c.	DENINGULAR AND ORTHNITAL ST	FIAM will be sold subject to existing tenanci	es and exceeding the percentage agreed upon.		NAC. References Plots and Stories.	OHIEFS. FICHUS. SILK and LACE CRAVAT

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DEATH.

At the Sailors' Home, West Point, Maria, the beloved wife of J. R. White, and M. The funeral will take place at 1 p.m. to-day, 30th March, from Sailors' Home, Praya side.

Hongkong, March 30th, 1883.

THE address presented yesterday to the Hon. W. H. MAESE, C.M.G., was a most sincere expression of public respect for a high minded and capable official. The signatories behad the address been circulated earlier. presentation were also thoroughly represenoften been the spokesman of the Hongkong more entirely expressed their views than on Mr. Mass arrived here to take up the reins -of government on the departure of Sir Joan but too long protracted -of bickering, turmoil, and contention—the Colony, on the 7th of March, 1682, when Sir JOHN POPE HENNESSY left these shores, entered upon a season of peace and calm. This tran- increased attendance at the services of the quility has been due not only to the reaction following upon the tumultuous- of the Chinese Church meeting in the same ness of the past, but is not less building. The Treasurer's report showed a baattributable to the happy circumstance that lance at the end of 1882 of \$452.40, but it was in His Excellency the Administrator this would be reduced to a merely nominal we have found one whose first thought is the sum. Efforts had been made in England by welfare of those he governs, whose last is himself. When Sir John Pope Hennessy departed he took with him the execution of ted and passed. The following were elected the whole foreign community which he had so consistently ignored, perversely thwarted, J. Maegregor, A. Falconer, J. G. Smith, W. D. B. Leyton or energetically and unnaturally opposed and Hutchison, and J. Hayward, Mr. W. D. E. L. Wooding attacked; and at the same time the "envy, Treasurer. The Rev. J. Colville and Mosers. batred, malice, and all uncharitableness " Ball and Mangregor were elected as the Musical which he had stirred up vanished likewise. Upon the arrival of the Honourable W. H. for his services as Acting Treasurer during MARSH to assume the reins of government he was received with a welcome which was as general as it was hearty, and its sincerity resolution was also passed recording the meetwas not the less because it did not find ex- ing's sense of the great loss the Church had pression in demonstrative action, but rather The Rev. J. Colville in proposing and the Rev. ldy as a sentiment in the hearts of the people. J. C. Edge in seconding the resolution each spoke Thos. I. Rose This welcome was accorded to the honourable in feeling terms of Mr. Noble. During the H. C. Hirst gentleman as much on account of the high necessity which would shortly arise of taking estimation in which he was personally held, as steps to secure the financial position of the for the reason that with his advent it was Church, the Treasurer remarking that as reexpected—an expectation realized to the full the end of their present tether, as the period of -that under his domination peace and har the guarantee fund would shoutly expire. mony would surely be restored to this distracted community. Not only has tranquility been restored and heart-burnings set at rest, but the work of legislation which had for some time, under the Hennessian régime, been practically at a standstill, was resumed, departmental business soon flowed quietly on accustomed channels, while long delayed and urgently required public works were commenced without a day's unnecessary delay. During Mr. Marse's administration the in London to watch agitators and Secret So-Tytam Water Works have been commenced, cieties, the site for the new Hospital is being prepared, the Water Police Station at Kowloon is rapidly progressing to completion, the roads are being restored to a good condition, and various other matters are being attended to by the Survey Depart-Of course much is due to the energy of the Surveyor-General, but that talented official has been aided instead of Ryrie, who was accompanied by upwards of eighty hindered by the present Head of the Execu- of the signatories, representatives of every class tive, who has systematically-tirged the necessity for the public works mentioned being also, the functions of the Registrar-General having been restored to the head of that

in the working of the Contagious Diseases can truly say that I have never seen more Ordinance and other matters, by which it is anticipated that slavery will eventually be eradicated, and other abuses growing out (Applause). The address, as you will observe, is of the ignorance of the Chinese be abolished. At the numerous meetings of the Legislative Council held during Mr. Marsu's tunity of doing so. With your kind permission tenure of office much useful if showy legislation has been carried through, and in no case has time been suffered to pass after the need of a measure. was discovered. The sittings of the Education Commission, suspended by the inaction of Sir John Pope Hennessy, were resumed and their labours brought to a conclusion, the report being forwarded to the manner in which you have discharged the duties of your Secretary of State for the Colonies, whose reply has been received and published. nstable to all. The hospitality of Government House has perhaps never been more

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You have made Government House the centre of a You have made Government House the centre of the You have made government house the young the youn agreeably dispensed than by His Excellency and Mrs. Marsh, whose grace, geniality, which has been accorded to the community. and charm of manner have won her the suffrages of the residents of both sexes. It is satisfactory to learn that we are not to lose you do leave us it will be on the occasion of your appoint-Mr. and Mrs. MARSH for the present, and echoing the words of the address, we trus that when that time does arrive our great loss may prove their gain-by the Administrator being appointed to govern one

The U.S. gunboat Monocacy, Commander C. S. Cotion, arrive: here yesterday from Canton. The O. S. S. Co's steamer Menelaus, from Liverpool, left Singapore on Wednesday morning for this port and Shanghai,

of Her Majesty's numerous dependencies.

We learn that Captain Carey, of notoriety in connection with the death of the Prince Imperial in Zululand, died at Kurrachee on the H. L. Dalrymple 23rd ultimo.

The British paddle despatch-vessel Vigilant, Lieut. Commander Lindsay, returned here yeserday morning from a craise.

. The British steamer Peking, Captain Drewes, which arrived here yesterday from Saigon, re--ports the first part of passage had light variable | wind and fine weather, but the latter part strong breeze from the N.E. with a very high sea running. On the 28th instant when fifty miles off Ladrone Islands passed two Chinese junks

At the Regular Convocation of the Cathay Chapter, No. 1165, held at the Masonic Hall, on Friday, the following principals and officers were installed for the ensuing year: -M.E.Z., M.E. Comp. J. C. Hughes; H., E. Comp. J. A. Mos-ley; J., E. Comp. W. K. Hughes; Spribe E., Comp. Alf. Woolley; Scribe N., Comp. L. C. Balfour; P.S., Comp. Erich Georg; 1st Assist ant Comp. T. S. Rose; 2nd Assistant Comp. Ph. B. C. Ayres; Treasurer, Comp. E. George; Janitor, Comp. J. R. Grimble.

A somewhat peculiar application was made to Edmund Sharp Mr. Wodehouse, the sitting magistrate; yester- A. G. Stokes day morning. At the conclusion of the usual business a woman came forward and through the interpreter she said she did not wish to live with H. G. James her husband, but she preferred another man, and William Legge she also said that her busband did not keep her. His Worship inquired what the woman wished him to do, and she said she wanted him to get her some work. His Worship advised her to go home and try to make things up with her A. O'D. Gourdin

St. James's Gazetie says :- Last week the Philip R. Doral organs" of the Laboa-hirs manufacturers were employed in showing how high-minded and dis. long to every race and creed in the colony, interested are the motives which induce the and the number would have been much larger | practice of "sizing" and "steaming" in the production of the compound of chemicals which is known in the markets of China, India, and the The gentlemen assembled to witness the Pacific as "Imposshire cotton goods," It was proved that the weavers are wrong to complain tative, and most cordially endorsed the re- steam or loaded with "size" dust: for these marks of the veteran Member of Council conditions promote health; they are conducive | Walter Poats who presented the address. Mr. Ryrie has to longovity; and "the strongest and healthiest weavers are those distributed among the districts where heavy 'sizing' is almost universal." It community before; never, probably, has he was also explained that there is no good reason why Lancashire cotton goods should not be rotten and wash away to pulp; for "people do not this occasion. A year has rolled round since want clothes to last for a generation. Dresses are now made to last for a season, and in many cases a variety is required." Moreover, in cases where variety is not required, the buyers do not Popz Hennessy on leave. After a period, wash and never discover the peculiar properties F. W. Koch of the material.

The annual meeting of the members and seatholders of Union Church was held yesterday afternoon. Rev. J. Colville presiding. In the William Hartigan Secretary's report reference was made to the C. Chamberlain Church, especially of young men; also to the Ho Kai Rev. J. C. Edge's account of the progress estimated that at the end of the present year. Mr. D. B. F. Crawford to form the nucleus F. Dodwell of an endowment fund, but had been unsue- E. Mackean cessful. The report and accounts were adop. A. B. Johnson members of the committee for the ensuing year :--Messrs. J. D. Hutchison, W. N. Bain, D. Gillies, Hutchison to act as Secretary and Mr. Davis as Committee. Thanks were tendered to the choir, R. N. St. John to the Sunday School teachers, to Mr. Bunker W. H. Ray Mr. Davis's absence, and to Mr. Crawford for his efforts in connection with the attempted formation of an endowment fund. A

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Yesterday morning an address was presented to His Excellency the Administrator, the Hon. W. H. Marsh, C.M.G., at Government House. The presentation was made by the Hon. P. and nationality in the Colony being present.

Hon. P. Ryste, in making the presentation. carried out promptly. During the past year, been assigned to me of presenting to you a numerously signed address from the community of this Colony. When I state that this has been a spontaneous movement on the part of all department, and no ill-timed personal inter- classes in the colony, I state what is absolute ference by the Governor having been at. fact. I believe that I may be considered the oldest British resident in the Colony, and during tempted, the Hon. J. Russell has been enthe period of my stay here, I have taken part in abled- to carry out many valuable reforms a good many demonstrations of this kind, and I

enxiety displayed by its inhabitants to testify by their signatures the feelings they entertained of your high abilities as the head of its executive. immerously signed by all nationalities, but there are still a number of gentlemen anxious to join it who from pross of time have not had an opportheir signatures can be appended bereafter. (Applause.) I shall now, with your permission, proceed to read the address:-

To HIS EXCELLENCY THE HONOURABLE WILLIAM HEREK MARK, O.M.G., THE OFFICER ADMINISTRATES THE GOVERNMENT OF HONGROSE, ETC., ETC., ETC. Sin,—We, the undersigned non-official members of the Legislative Council, Justices of the Peace, Members of Professions, Merchants, Bankers, and Residents in Hongkong, desire to convey to Your Excellency on the approaching termination of your Administration of the

high position.
The vigour which has been displayed in every department of your Government, the introduction of numerous measures of useful logislation, and the rapidity wit Administrator has invariably been found in his place, and has upheld the dignity of his office while rendering himself agreeable and

ial attraction by the liberal and graceful bospitality We are pleased to learn that the Public Service of Colony will not be deprived for some time to come o your valuable co-operation and that you will resume your former post as Colonial Secretary. We trust that when ment to higher office under the Crown to which your long and able public career have so well qualified you.

With the assurance of our protound respect.—We have

the honour to be, Sir, your must obedient servents, Honry R. Coomba Bulkeley Johnson R. Belilios Alfred Lister . Possnocker W. Reinore Vm. Danby John Thurburn G. C. Anderson F. Alford Kennoth McK. Ross S. Adams, M.D. . J. Bell Irving F. H. Slaghok J. Bell-Irving Willm, Aitchison C. W. Richards G. T. Hassell Ruttunice A. C. Macleod D. R. Billia Framjoo H. Arjanec M. B. Polishwalln Ph. B. C. Ayres P. N. Parrak C. V. Creagh D. Bottomley M. E. Asgar Abdul Cader Moosabhoy W. S. Young H. F. Tumboly S. M. Metta William Forrest Mackintosh D. Gillies J. P. da Costa A. A. dos Remedios

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The Administrator, in reply, said-Mr. Ryrie and gentlemen. I beg to thank you most

instead of praise. It is a very great gratification know what he was about, and we started at once | these men have acquired a certain breadth of view | and China Traders at \$2,500 and \$2,650. Hong to me to see such an amount of kindly feeling for the mines 14 miles distant. The commence and some knowledge of what the world really is, kong Fires have been done at \$1,335 and \$1,340 and regard displayed towards me by the com- ment of the walk was rather heavy, through But in their case the words of Pope, "A little for cash. Steamboats are wanted at \$37 prem. munity of Hongkong. I have always received sandy soil, but as we advanced, we came to a the greatest kindness in Hongkong, both on a former occasion and since my return twelve We met some buffale carts laden with coal toil has been but light at the best; and with it has Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares—New Ismonths ago, and I sasure you the period I have ing down to the shore. This is a nlow mode of come a development of conceit which leads them resided in this colony will always be looked back proceeding, but will soon be changed, as rails to despise their less fortunate countrymen, and upon by me as one of the brightest and pleas, are now at Singapore and are to be sent on im- that estentationaly. They have imbibed, too, an antest experiences of my life. (Applause). I mediately. Very slight traction power will then additional love of pleasure and ease consonant China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares-

flattering a testimonial, nor could I have hoped that the

from members of both Councils and from the members of

POLICE COURT. 29th March.

BEFORE MR. A. E. WODEHOUSE.

BREACHES OF THE OPIUM ORDINANCE. Ip Asam, unlicensed hawker, was convicted retailing prepared opium without a permit, and he was fined \$25, or in default six weeks' hard labour, Inspector Thomson, with an informer entered the defendant's premises at No. 13, Tung We West-street, and found that place fitted up as an opium divan with several mon smoking there, and some prepared opium, dross, scales, pipes, &c., were also found. Cha Chak Ki, described as a douter, and

Abow, carpenter, were charged with unlicensed possession of prepared opigm on the 28th inst. P.C. McKay and an informer entered the ground floor of No. 180, Hollywood-road, and found the place fitted up as a first class opium divan, and about twenty men were smoking opium there. The informer pointed out the first defendant as the master, and the second as the assistant master of the concern. A considerable quentity of prepared opium and opium dross was

The first defendant alleged that only the dross belonged to him. The small opium boxes found belonged to his customers, and the tin of opium seized was placed there by the informer. The first defendant was fined \$50, or in default six weeks' imprisonment, and he paid the money;

the second man was discharged Pang Ashek, coolie, was convicted on a similar charge. P.S. Rae searched his house at No. 71. of divan, where two men were smoking, and a meteor which fell into the sea in her close small amount of opium was found. days' imprisonment. The money was paid.

REGULATION OF JINRICKSHAS. charged with running their vehicles on the wrong of a large rocket decending from the zenith with cartridges at the munition casesons of the battander of the road without any reasonable exonse, immense force and velocity. It was a meteor, lion. This is now quite impracticable, since the and leaving their juriokshas by the roadside. thus causing obstructions. They were fined 50 exploded with great noise and flame, the glowing the different elements of a troop that has taken A TASTE FOR FLOWERS,

A lokang saw him gathering the flowers and

arrested him. Convicted of trespass and fined \$1,

UNLAWFUL POSBESSION. Chun Ayuk and Laung Achung, marine hawk ers, were convicted of having been unlawfully possessed of a boat and five baskets of lump cosl. value altogether about \$4 at Bowrington early yesterday morning, and not being in a position to pay a fine of \$10, they were confided to Mr. Hayward's care for three months. THE BATTLE OF THE CLANS ..

the court charged with having assaulted a brother suggests a perhaps unthought of cause of many depositing their load, may be about 1,000 pages chip named Li Acheung. The complainant stated that he lived at No. I Pun-lung Lane, where about a hundred San Ui

men lived, and fifty Nam Tau men. On Wednesday evening these two factions got a loggerheads with regard to a point of precedence, which men should occupy certain sents, and the disturbance became a free fight inside the house The more numerous party had the best of the struggle, and after a bit, all the Nam Tan men ran out of the house, having had enough. The complainant, however, remained behind, and then the defendants and others of the opposite party set upon him, when a lokang came and interfered All parties were bound over in their own redo nisances of \$10 each to be of good behaviour for 14 days.

> BEFORE BOTH MAGISTRATES. POCKET PICKING.

The complainant stated that on Saturday after. of the mind it leaves undeveloped, generation is a good deal sadder."-Burlington Hawkeye. noon be was standing outside the Fat Hingshop after generation. looking at some Chinese peremodies, and the The University of Cairo, established during solitors-Andre, who is neither handsome nor prisoner was beside him. He felt his jacket the tenth century in the Mosque of El Azbar, is young, but who is rich; and Paul, who is charmpocket touched, where he had a packet containing the most important seat of learning in the Ma- ing, but has not a cent, "Which of the two do \$19, and at once collered the prisoner, and hommedan world. Its ten thousand "undergra- you like the best?" asked one of her friends. charged him with the theft. He denied it and duates" flock there from every quarter of the "Oh;" replied Berthe, "I like Paul the best, said "look, there is a man running away." Com. globe in which, the Moslem faith is professed. but I prefer Monsleur Andre."-French Paper. plainant looked, but could see no one running. The teaching is presumably of the best: it is . It may, perhaps, be worth while to correct a and as he turned back he saw the prisoner hand universally believed to be the best. The period common but erroneous notion: The population something to another man close by. Complain- of residence there varies from three to six years. of France is not diminishing. The increase in ant at once seized the other man and searched The students pay no fees, nor are the professors | the towns more than counterbalances the oxedus him, but could find nothing until he made a paid. Each teacher has his class, who aither from the rural districts. But the yearly incresecond attempt, when he observed the packet of listen or read aloud. The place is a very Babel | ment is far below the rate which the experience money between the man's feet. He picked it up for noise. Study consists in learning by heart; of other countries leads statisticians to regard as ASTOR OIL.—For Lubricating purposes and again seized the prisoner, and then the other the subjects taught are religion, jurisprudence, normal.—St. James's Gauette. man made his escape. The prisoner tried to get legic, and poetry. Mathematics, once so flourish. A " bearded woman" was being exhibited at since establishing our Oil Refinery in 1881 had

been in gool for six months for largeny. Sentenced to eighteen months' hard labour.

SHANGHAI.

All the persons reported missing after the fire in Chefoo Read on the 21st last, have turned up. tion of one faculty of the mind only, that of days to go on a mission to the heathen. After It appears that the house in which the fire memory, at the expense of the rest; and the the congregation was dismissed, a number of the originated was occupied by a Chinese woman, knowledge thus acquired, to the exclusion of all members waited for their paster, and, crowding her sen-a young man of unsound mind-and independent thought, is regarded as final and around him, expressed their astonishment at the two children. According to the woman's ac- infallible. It is no unusual thing to meet with new turn in his affairs, asking where he was gocount her son was unusually violent on Wednes- men who know the whole Koran by heart, and ling, and how long they would be deprived of his day. He best his mother in the afternoon, and who can quote freely from the commentators. ministrations. He said to them, "My good in the evening he set fire to the house and im. To such an extent is the memory cultivated that friends, don't be alarmed. I'm not going out of mediately ran away. The woman and two in the study of the law or in the acquirement of town." children were conveyed to a place of safety, and a foreign language very little effort is necessary on the 22nd inst. the madman, who had turned to an Arab. To read is almost to know. ap in the locality of the fire in the small hours of the morning, was charged at the Mixed Court, what they please to term the defective memories before his Worship Chen and Mr. F. D. Cheshira, of Europeans, the Arabs are amazed at their with wilfully setting are to the house. He was powers of reasoning and of rapidly drawing a remanded for enquiries. Two houses were des- correct inference from a given body of facts. troyed by the fire, and one was pulled down. These they regard as almost superhuman The damage is estimated at about the 400. The qualities. An English lawyer long resident block, which has only been built about six months, belongs to a Chinese compradors.-

with the following account of a visit he recently get. At last, growing impatient, he would paid to the Muara Coal Mines in Brunel :-"On the 13th March 1882, these mines were legal training and knowledge, what the decision ceded to Mr. C. by the Sultan of Brunei for 20 should be; whereupon his colleagues immediately years. They had been surveyed and partly worked | quoted the law, chapter and verse, in corrobors. by the first Labuan Coal Mining Company. They lien of his argument. They knew the law well extend about 30 square miles. Mr. C. has full enough, but not how to apply it. mining rights, no duties to pay, and the right There is one other faculty besides memory to wood, &c. He is allowed to erest buildings, which the Egyptians possess in an equal degree wharves, and piers, which he can remove at the and that is mental calculation; but it is almost On expiry of the lease should it be desirable to entirely confined to the Copts. They are able do so. On the morning of the 5th of this in consequence to command the best posts in month, we left the steamer Borneo, and om- merchant's offices, and in all reutine secretary barked on board the steam launch of the Sultan work. No matter how complicated the problem, On Calcurra.—Bank, 3 days' sight 2223 of Brunei, which had been kindly lent us for they solve it almost as soon as it is propounded On Shanghar,the trip. We steamed away at a great pace, to them; and their accuracy is as proverbial as and were soon clear of the difficult and tortuous their rapidity of calculation. bar of the Brunei river, when we stood almost It would seem, then, that in reasoning power, direct for Muara. Muara is situated N.W. of and consequently in the possession of the qualisincerely and earnestly for the kind feelings that the entrance of the river. By 11.30 we had ties which result from it, the present race of have prompted you to present me with this ad. | moored alongside the long wooden pler on which | Egyptians are greatly deficient—in other words. dress. I feel I have done nothing to deserve the were numerous baskets full of coal ready for ship- that they are not fitted to administer. But it manifestation of kindly feeling towards me ment; a tongkang was on the shore being made may be neged that there exists a small class of per cent. for the end of April, and 66 per cent. for

will, with your permission, now read my raply to be necessary, and either buffaloes, horses, or with the bias of Eastern natures. They are desteam can be used. Near the mines, a short fleient in earnestness, and all but indifferent to about 16 owt., are running. On arrival at tion is to become Government employée, but tony is most gratifying to me and is highly prized as con- were at once amongst the coal, which is good wear a uniform. This is the end and aim of every which I have been entrusted, I have had the good fortune Being provided with candles we explored the consequently crowded with useless officers, mostwhich I have been entrusted, I have had the good fortune to secure the esteem and segard of so many persons representing all classes of the community of Hongkong.

When I assumed, twelve menths ago, the duties which from which, flowing towards us, was warm; we This relies the question whether the Arabs as Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares— I am now about to hand over to a new Governor, I did did not feel enough curiosity to penetrate far in a race are patriotic. In other words, putting saids

impartial discharge of my duties would have received such desided a little further and descended another and they morally qualified to manage their own more worked mine, having coal seams branching affairs? In the first place, bribery is shameless Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company's general, and, to me, acceptable public recognition: more worked mine, having coal seams branching affairs? In the first place, bribery is shameless have been been been been and universal. The course of "baksheesh" is said-Your Excellency, the pleasing duty has the hearty co-operation that I have at all times received some parts propped with word, but were in others all-powerful to override justice and the consimply hewn through the cosi. | Some of the pas- sciences of men, and this plague would scarcely the Civil Service generally. Without their aid my tack sages were low and narrow, being barely suffi- be eradicated by the removal of European cient for one man to pass at a time. It was very control. But a still graver objection to their I beg to thank you all most emercly for your kind hot here, with a certain sufficienting sort of feel. moral fitness is the utter absence of patriotism in China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited, wishes and to assure you that I have and shall always reling, and we were not sorry to regain the light | the Arab nature in the sense in which we underforred on me by presenting me with this address. and sun; the latter was, however, very power- stand it. The Turk has many failings, and is fal, but we considered ourselves bound to ac- credited with more by those whose estimate of

mines being worked, and gave a general view of the Sultan. Still he is a man whose word is China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$200 of the works, as well as of the low ground on the his bond; whose religion is a sacred thing; who, other side which is used as a paddy sawah. The if he turns conspirator, is ready to pay the China Sugar Refining Company (Debentures)labourers in the mines were Chinese and Brunei penalty of death. He strongly dislikes the people; some of the latter were formerly working, rangade in all shapes. With the Arab it is dif. in the Labuan coal mines; and Mr. D. had great ferent. Patriotism in his mind means the lowest confidence in them and preised them much. The form of expediency-a fine instinct for discorn. old hands can do much more work than the new ing the winning side; and it his instinct should ones, but coal outting is not a very difficult art to deceive him he is ready to turn , his cost at an Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited acquire. The output of coal has been much re- hour's notice, glorying in his facility and astutetarded lately owing to the Chinese new year, ness. This fact is well enough known; it was Chinese Imperial Loan of 1874-Nominal. and the absurd murriage festivities at Branei, shemefully exhibited after the war, when noted Mr. C., however, is to got some Chinese coolies Arabists came in growds to the Khedive's recopshortly, and is prepared to pay them so much for tions at Cairo and professed their loyalty and every ton of coal put on the pier. This with devotion. Morally and intellectually, then, we the railway would work excellently; the Chinese maintain that the Egyptians are unfitted to adexcel in piece work, and would earn double what minister and represent; and in this view we bethey do on wages, so labour would be certain. As lieve we shall be upheld by all who know Egypt far as could be seen the supply of coal is almost and wish her well. What may be done by sound unlimited. The first seam we explored was 22 education and by the influence of pure administrafeet thick, running perallel with the range of tion is for the future to reveal. For the present hills. The other was 16 feet thick at the thin- and for a long time to come Europeans and they nest part, and also ran in the same direction N. alone must govern Egypt, if the country is to be and S., north to the sea and south to Bukit Pi- governed with tolerable honesty and wisdom. sang 650 feet high. The present mode of working is economical, there being no necessity to go deep; the coal being excellent where it is being taken from just a few feet below the surface.

METEORS AT SEA.

onorgy deserves.

The engineers and stokers who have tried the

coal speak very highly of it, and it is to be hoped

the enterprising owner will meet the reward his

A few weeks ago we reported the narrow escape of the Pacific Steam Navigation Com-High-street, and found the place a humble sort pany's steamship Lima from destruction by a ment, and how these may best be supplied to vicinity. The United States man-of-war Alaska Defendant was fined \$5, or in default seven has recently met with similar good fortune. Captain Belknap, in a report to the department, The supply of ammunition has been effected in the states that on December 12, a few minutes after Nine jiuricksha coolies appeared to summonses sunset, a loud rushing noise was heard like that and when within some 10deg. of the horizon it i operations involve such great distance between fragments streaming down into the sea like fighting position. It is impossible, on the one huge sparks and sprays of fire. Then came hand, to superintend the purveyors, and, on A boy, fourteen years old, named Ho Kum the most wonderful part of the phenomena, for the other, the quantity of cartridges Your, was brought before the court charged with at the point in the heavens where the meteor they can carry is but small (those stealing flowers from the Government Gardens on burst there appeared a figure like the shape of an one company cannot take more than 400 immense distaff, all aglow with a bluish-white or 500 cartridges at most). The supply has light of the most intense brilliancy. It kept been facilitated thus :- Each horse of the team that form for perhaps two minutes, when it be- in front of a cuisson is loaded with two boxes, gan to lengthen upwards and grow wavy and nig- leach containing 1,000 cartridges. The subzag in outline from the action of the wind, and officer detached near each caisson directs a borse gradually diminishing in breadth until it became to the base of each company placed in the a fine, faint spiral line at its apper and dissolved line of fight-i.e., to a sheltered position about into the fast gathering clouds the meteor seemed | 300 paces behind the line of fire; the boxes are to have evoked. This strange phenomena in then discharged. Thus the supply can be effectspired every one on board with torror, for had the ed on any kind of ground without danger to the meteor struck the ship it would have been the last horse's load; and each trip enables the commandof the Alaska, and no one would have been left ing officers of companies to distribute twenty to tell the tale of her loss. This strange new cartridges to the 100 men of each company. Seven Chinese carpenters were brought before manifestation of the forces of the universe again The caissons, to which the horses return after disasters at sea - Panama Star and Herald.

> THE FORMATION OF MIND IN EGYPT (AND OHINA).

The following remarks which appear in St. James's Gazette with regard to Egypt might by to thy happiness. almost be applied word for word to Ohina : -After Arabi's own testimony on the subject, This Illustrated Pamphlet on Portumery, &c., is perhaps unnecessary to controvert the state- published at 6d., may be had gratis from any ment recently made by a person who, it must be Chemist or dealer in perfumery in the World, confessed, had enjoyed ample means of knowing or John Gosnell & Co., Landon.—[Advt.] [631. what he was writing about, that out of the seven | A California paper says :- "One of our wealmillions of which the Egyptian nation is com- thiest citizens left his Eastern home sixteen | West Thermometer 60,0 | 61,0 | 68,0 | 56,0 | 48.0 | 44.3 | 77,0 | 75.5 posed there are 30,000 highly intelligent men years ago, and arrived in Sun Francisco with capable of understanding politics; besides 2,000 | only one shirt to his back, since which time he more specially fitted to "administer and repre- has accumulated twelve milion." Just think of sent." The truth is that the Egyptians, as a it, twelve million shirts! people, are by no means fitted either to administ. Said a poet to an unfortunate speculator ter or represent; and, what is more, it is not "Don't you think that the opening lines of Ten-Li Atuk, shoemaker, was brought up on a likely that they ever will be until their system nyson's little poem, Break, break, break, are charge of picking the pocket of a coolie named of education is radically altered. Let us, then, plaintive and sad?" "Yes," was the melancholy din Achai of \$19 in silver on Saturday last. consider what this system is, and what faculties reply, "but I think that Broke, broke, broke,

away, but complainent held on to him until a ling in Egypt, are practically a dead science a fair in Paris. At the entrance of the booth an increasing sale of this Oil and can produce Sikh constable came up, and he then gave the now. It is a strange sight to view the pupils vat a cheerful little girl who took the money. repeating their task to mechanical swing of the One of the spectators, who had been feasting his of Steamers visiting this Fort that our Oil The prisoner said it was the man who escaped body, which seems to be essential to their studies. eyes on the phenomenon, thought he would have that committed the theft. He admitted having Of modern thought and natural science the his little joke with the pretty child. Taking teachers are profoundly ignorant; indeed, they her gently by the chin, he said, "I say, little despise them. The methods of criticism and girl, the woman with the beard is your mamma, study universally adopted in Europe, and which | isu't she?"-" No, sir; she is my papa," was the Coasting Sailing Vessels and House Painters dovelop in so high a degree the reasoning powers | reply

Thus it comes about that, whilst despising Egypt used to speak of the astonishment with appear for 4.317 steamers, carrying five and a which he at last comprehended their inferiority half million tons. Next comes America, with in these particulars. His native colleagues were 594; and then France, with 414. deeply versed, unemonically speaking, in the THE MAURA COAL MINES, (BRUNET.) Ottoman law, with which at first he was but slightly acquainted. So he naturally wished to A correspondent has favoured the Straits Times | defer to their opinion; but this he could never suggest by the light of nature, based on his

that you have exhibited to-day, for I have roady for a voyage to Labuar with coal. The men who besides their native education, have had the end of June, Sugare at \$205 and \$206 for was strictly my duty. If I had done anything were met by Mr. D., the manager, a rather rough those whom Ismail Pasha sent to France and for the end of May, and also at \$210 for the end less I should have been deserving of repreach and ready sort of man, but one who appeared to England to study at the universities. No doubt of June. Unions have found buyers at \$2,800, Gestlemen, The address which you have just pro- line of rails is laid and trucks, each containing the welfare of their countrymen. Their ambi. Yangtese Insurance Association-Tls. 885 per tion of my Administration of the Government of this Co. | the pit's mouth we descended a short ladder and | from no higher motive than to be efficials and | Chinese Insurance Company, Limited \$220 per veying the assurance that whilst endeavouring strictly even at this short distance from the surface. well-born and educated Arab; and the Court is On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tls. 148

not expect at the end of my term of office to receive so that direction. On arriving at day-light we pro- the question of their intellectual fitness, are China Fire Insurance Company's Shares \$355 cept Mr. D.'s proposal to go to a certain him is formed from a few months' residence at ridge, which ran round the portion of the Constantinople and observation of the enfourage

SUPPLY OF AMMUNITION TO TROOPS.

A repeating rifle (like that adopted in Ger-

many) requires, of course, larger supplies of ammunition than the older arms, and it is impos. sible to make the soldier carry habitually the additional ammunition needed. The Germans are at present studying both how the soldier may best carry the twenty supplementary cart. ridges to be given him at the time of engagethe lines of fire engaged. For the former, it is found a good plan to make pockets in the lining of the left skirt of the soldier's tunio. past by two or three purveyors per company to the rear.

A Good old Quaker lady, after listening to the extravagant yarn of a person as long as her patience would allow, said to him: " Friend, what a pity it is a sin to lie when it seems so necessa-

Thames Street Industries, by Percy Russell.

Niceties of language : Mdlle. Berthe has two

of man, are equally unknown to thom. The re- A London elergyman informed his people at sult of such a system of education is the cultiva- the close of his sermon, that he intended in a few a cost of about one third of English Paint Oil

> The "General Reportory" of the French Bureau Veritas for 1832, which has just appeared, in two volumes, gives for the whole world a total of 48,487 sailing vessels, with a tourage of nearly fourteen millions. England heads the list; and then come in their order America, Norway, Germany, Italy, Russia, and France, who only takes seventh place. In steam it is England first and the rest nowhere. We

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Bank Bills, on demand Credits, at 4 months sight 4.66 On Bombay.-Bank, 3 days' sight 2223

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Banks have been placed to-day at 190 per cent, prom. for cash, and 200 per cent. for the end of

June. Dooks at 61 and 62 per cent. for cash, 63 really done nothing more than I consider Royalist had not yet arrived. On landing we a European education; such men, for instance, as cash; \$207 for the end of April, \$209 and \$210 with any other of similar hong name.

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> HONGKONG TIDE-TABLE MORE MARCH TO STE APRIL, 1993.

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HIGH WATER. LOW WATER. Hongkong Mean Time,

The height of mean sea-level has been determined at 7.59; feet above zero of the title-gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard; and the Low-water Ordinary Spring Titles, to which datum the heights in these Tables are referred, as 5.595 feet above The heights in the Tables marked with a minus (-) sign are below flow. Water Ordinary Spring-Pides, and should be subtracted from the constants given above.

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL

REGISTER.March 20th. SAROMETER, THREMOMETE

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Dimerios of Wish is registered every two points, N. N.N.E., N.R., &c. Force on Wind.—O caim. I to 5 light breeze. 3 to moderate. 5 to 7 fresh. 7 to 8 strong, 8 to 10 heavy 10 to 13 violent. STATE OF WEATHER.—H. Clear bins sky. C. Cloudy, D. Drizzly, F. Fog. G. Foggy, H. Hail. L. Lightning, M. Misty, C. Ovorcast, F. Passing showers, Q. Squally, R. Rainy, S. Snow, T. Thunder, U. Bad, threatening, F. Vicibility, W. Storm, Z. Calm. The letters are repeated. RATE.—The hours of rain for the previous 26 hours (noon

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FOR NEW YORK. HE American Ship "MARY WHITRIDGE," Freeman, Master, will load here for the above CARNATIC, Brit. bark, A. McPhail.-Order. Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 16th March, 1883.

FOR NEW YORK.

HE American Bark

"C. B. HAZELTINE," Gilkey, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 12th March, 1883. FOR WICTORIA, B. C.

"PROFESSOR NORDENSKJOLD," Jenson. Master, will load here for the above Port and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to -RUSSELL-&-Co.-Hongkong 27th February, 1883.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE 3/3 L I. I. American Ship

THE 3/3 L. I. I. Norwegian Barkentine

"B. P. CHENEY," Humphreys, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to Mongkong, 26th Fabruary, 1888.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH. MITSU BISHI MAIL STEAMSHIP CO STEAM TO NAGASAKI AND KOBE, VIA INLAND SEA.

(Taking Corgo for YOKOHAMA). THE "KUMAMOTO MARU," Captain DRUMMOND, due here on or about the 25th , will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, e 30th March, at Four P.M. Cargo received on heard and Parcels at the fice up to ONE P.M., of the day of Sailing. No Bill of Lading signed under \$2 Freight. All Claims for Damage must be settled on ard before delivery is taken, otherwise they ill not be recognized.

Cargo and Passengers for Yokohama will b canshipped to the Shanghai Mail Steamer at April For further Particulars, apply at the Comany's Offices, Praya Central, Ground Floor of Tesars. Russell & Co. H. J. H. TRIPP,

Agent. Hongkong, 22nd March, 1883.

STEAM FOR INGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MATTA GIBRALTAR, BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE, PLYMOUTH AND LONDON; BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND

AUSTRALIA.

BILLS OF LADING FOR BATAVIA, PRESIAN GULF POETS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, HAM. BURG, NEW YORK, AND BOSTON. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STRAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship "CATHAY," Captain W. M. Robbie, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON, via BOMBAY and SUEZ CANAL on TUESDAY, the 3rd April, at

Cargo will be received on board and Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until TEN A.M., on the day of sailing. Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Colombo: Ten and General Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bombay, without transhipment, arriving one week later than by the ordinary direct routs via Colombo. For further particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE apply to the PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S | Kian, to-day, the 30th instant, at 2.30 P.M.

the Office Hongkong. The Contents and Value of Packages are reguired to be declared prior to shipmout. Shippers are particularly requested to note [553 the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.

CHEAP RESERVED ACCOMMODATION COR be obtained in this Company's Steamers: for . particulars apply at the Office. A. McIVER, Superintendent. Hongkong, 22nd March, 1883.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE ERANCAIS. STEAM FOR

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, LOMBO, ADEN. SUEZ. ISMAILIA, PORT SAID, SYRIAN PORTS, NAPLES: MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA;

BOMBAY. ON TUESDAY, the 10th day of April, 1888, at Noon, the Company's Steam-| 502 | ship "SINDH," Commandant Lequerre, with MATLS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above Noon.-Money Order Office closes.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted until Noon of 9th April, 1883.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 9th April, 1883. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hougkong, 30th March, 1883

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.

FINE U.S. Mail Steamer "CITY OF L TOKIO," will be despatched for San-Francisco, via Yokohama and Honolulu, on SATURDAY, the 14th April, 1883, at THEER will sail on or about the F.M., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan,

SEILLES VIA SALGON, the United States, and Europe. LOMBO. ADEN. and Through Bills of Lading issued for transto call at PENANG portation to Yokohams and other Japan Ports, In connection with these to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities Settlements. Betavia, Burmah, Caylon, India, runs a Line from MAR. of the United States, vid Overland Railways, to Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. E and LONDON, leaving Havans, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports rival of the Steamer from in Mexico. Central and South America, by the Australasian Colonies. Company's and connecting Steamers

runs Steamers regularly Through Passage Tickets granted to England, numerous Ports in the France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines RETURN PASSAGES .- Passengers, who have a forwarding Agency at paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco UGEMONT, giving special for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six months, will be allowed a discount of 20 %, from collectly fitted for Pas- Return Fore; if re-embarking within one year, fort and accommodation an allowance of 10 % will be made from Return a liberal table is kept. Fare. Pre-Paid Return Passage Orders, avail-

Surgeon and Stewardess. able for one year, will be issued at a Discount 1st Class, 2nd Class. of 25 %, from Return Fare. These allowances do not apply to through fares from China and line from HONGKONG Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. and BACK, available for on the 13th April. Parcel Packages will be eriods, to be reckoned from received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; Marseilles of the Steamer all Parcel Packages should be marked to ad- Paragraph 60:s issued to the date of re- dress in full; value of same is required.

Cargo should be sent to the Company's Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. F. E. FOSTER,

Hongkong, 28th March, 1883.

NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS Neither the CAPTAINS, the AGENTS, nor the OWNERS, will be RESPONSIBILE for any Post Office; the omission of the former, as to DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crews whether part of them might not have been ab-1543 of the following Vessels during their stay in structed for the sake of the Postage Stamps. Hongkong Harbour

ADELE. Ger. bark, Logemann.-Melchers & Co. ANTOINETTE, Brit. bark, Bunge.—Order. BENLARIG, Brit. str., Clark.—Gibb, Livingston

CYPRUS, Brit. schooner, Johnson.—Captain. ERNST, Ger, bark, Pundh.-Ed. Schellhass [544 | HESPERIA, Ger. str., Petersen. - Siemssen & Co.

JOHN WORSTOB, Am. bark, Houghton.-Ed. Schellhass & Co. JONATHAN BOURNE, Amr. bark, Doane,-Russell & Co. MERCURY, Am. ship, Panno.—Chinese: PAPA, Ger. bark, Bannem.—Siemssen & Co.

SCHWAN, Dan. brig. Schroder. - Siemssen & Co. YANGTEZE, Brit. str., Casson,-Siemsson &Co.

NOTICE.

DRINTING OF EVERY DESCRIPTION SHT THE "DAILY PRESS" OFFICE.

Particular attention is given at this Establishment to COMMERCIAL and GENERAL JOB PRINTING, every description of which is IN THE BEST STYLE

SUCH PRICES as will bear FAVOUBABLE COMPARISON ANY IN THE EAST.

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MAILS EXPECTED.

THE ENGLISH MAIL. The P. and O. steamer Deccan, with the next outward English mail, left Singapore at 5 p.m. on the 24th, and may be expected here on the morning of the 30th instant.

THE AMERICAN MAILS. The Pacific Mail Steamship Company's stoamer City of Tokio, with the next American mail leaves Yokohama on the 24th, and may be expected to arrive here on or about the 30th inst. The O. & O. steamer Gaelie, with the succeeding American mail, left San Francisco on the 6th March, and is due here on or about the 6th

STEAMERS EXPECTED. The steamer Eugine left Port Darwin on the 17th, and is due here on the 30th instant.

The Shire Line steamer Carnarvonshire, from London, left Singapore on the 25th, and may. be looked for here on or about the 31st instant. The Union Line steamer. Lord of the Isles left Singapore on the afternoon of the 25th March, and may be expected to arrive here on the 1st

The O. S. S. Col's steamer Menelaus lefts Singapore on the morning of the 28th March V.B.-CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH and is due here on or about the 4th April. The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Menmuir left Port Darwin on the 27th March, and is due here on or about the 6th April.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES

The authorised List of Mails issuel in connection with this paper is the one published wice each day in our Extra. which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given

For Swatow, Amoy and Foodhow,-Per Kinangtung, to-day, the 30th inst., at 11.30 A.M. Ningpo and Shanghai. - Per Ningpo, to-day. the 30th instant, at 11.30 A.M. For Straits Settlements.—Per Cheang Hocks For Saigon .- Per Decima, to-day, the 30th instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Nagasaki and Kohe,-Par Kumunot Maru, to-day, the 30th instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Shanghai, -- Per Glanogle, to-day, the 30th instant, at 3.30 p.M.

For Batavia -- Per Compta, today, the 30th instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Kudat and Sandakan,-Per Fokien, today, the 30th instant, at 3.30 r.m. For Nagasski, Hiogo, and Yokohama.-Por Khiva, to-morrow, the Slat inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Amoy, Tamsui and Taiwanton .- Per Albay, to-morrow, the 31st inst., at 11.80 A.M. For Manila.-Per Mindanae, to-morrow, the 31st instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Swatow .- Per Thales, to-morrow, the

31st instant, at 5.00 P.M. For Saigon.-Por Bivouac, on Monday, the 2nd April, at 4.30 P.M. For Amoy and Manila.-Per Diamante, on Monday, the 2nd April, at 4.30 P.M.

HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT MATLS. THE ENGLISH MAIL.

The following hours are observed in closing Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet :--Day of Departure.

2.00 P.M. Begistry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns cases. 3.00 P.M.—Mails closed, except for Late Letters. 3.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with late les of 10 cents until 3.30 P.M.—when the Post Office closes entirely.

3.40 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with late fee of 10 cents, unti time of departure.

THE FRENCH MAIL. Day before Departure. 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes, except the night box, which is always open out of office hours.

Day of Departure.

A.M., Post Office opens. 10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases 11 A.M., Mail closes, except for Late Letters. 11.10 Apr., Letters may be posted with Late Fo of 10 cents until 11.30 a.m., when the Post Office closes entirely.

11.40 A.M., Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 10 Cents unti time of departure. MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET

The British Contract Packet "CATHAY." will be despatabed on TUESDAY. the 3rd April, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe via Brindisi: to the Straits N.B.—This Proket carries to mails for the The usual hours will be observed in closing

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.

The French Contract Packet "SINDH." will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 10th April, with Mails to the United Kingdom. Europe, and places beyond, via Nanles; to Saigrou, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah. Cevlon, India (via Madres), the Australasian Colonies, Aden, Egynt, Malta, and Gibrultar. The usual bours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

MONEY LETTERS. Public attention is called to the following extract from the Hongkong Postal Guide, "The Post Office declines all remensibility Consular Invoices to accompany Overland for unregistered Letters containing Bank Notes &c., and, where Registration has been neglected. WILL MAKE NO ENQUIRIES into alleged losses of such letters."

Boxes of letters are sometimes received at the Post Office not sealed, that is to say, the box is. fastened with sealing wax, but there is no im-The attention of boxholders is called to the

pression of a seal. ecessity of carefully sealing such boxes with some recognisable seal, and of sending a chit. book or receipt with them. The omission of

the latter precaution leaves a doubt as to whether the contents of the box ever reached the No responsibility can be accepted by the Post. Office for erroneous replies to verbal enquiries, or to notes addressed to subordinate officers. The shroffs told off to sell stamps should especially not be regarded as able to give correct informstion. The Postal Guide alone is the standard on all points on which such information may be required. RATES OF POSTAGE.

Letters, per j oz. 10 Cents Post Cards, each 3 Cents Books, Patterns, and Commercial 2 Cents, Papers, per 2 oz. Newspapers & Prices Current, each 2 Cents. Registration Do. with return receipt ... 15 Cents. Commercial papers signify such repers as, though written by hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as invoices, deeds, copied music, &c. The charge is the same as for Books, but all packets of and under 4 oz. weight are charged 5 Cents.

LOCAL AND INDIAN PARCEL POST. 1 .- Small Parcelsmay be sent by Post at Book-Rates between Hongkong and anv of the British Post Offices in China, as well as to Japan, Macao. Patchoi the Straits Settlements Cavlon and India. They must not exceed the following dimensions. 2 feet loug, 1 foot broad, 1 foot deep, weigh more than 51hs., nor be smaller than 3 in, by 2 in, by 2 in. Such parcels may be whelly closed if they bear this special endorsement, Parcel, containing no letter, but any parcel way he opened by direction of the Postmaster General. In the Case of Parcels for India a declaration of contents and value is required, a printed form for which is supplied gratis. The Registration of Parcels for India and Corlon is compulsory.

EXTRACTS.

DESECRATION. The poet died last night; Outworn his mortal frame; He hath fought well the fight. And won a deathless name. Bring laurel for his bier And flowers to deck the hearse : The tribute of a tear To his immortal verso. Hushed is that picroing strain;

Who heard, for pleasure went. His were our joy and pain; He saug -our serrow slept, Yes, weep for him; no more Shall such high songs have birth; Gone is the harp he bore Forever from the earth.

Weep, weep, and scatter flowers Above his precious dust; Child of the heavonly powers-Divine and pure, and just. Ar, weep-for when to-night Shall boot the horned owl-Beneatl: the pale moon's light The luman ghouls will prowl, What ereatures those shall throng

To do our post wrong-To break the scaled tomb ? His trusted friend and near. Toward whom his spirit moved The brother he held door :-The woman that he loved! RICHARD WATSON Grader, in the Critic.

Within the sacred gloom,

A COW WITH A WOODEN LEG. upon it, and seems to be in good health.

PRINCESS LOUISE'S CHAIR. Quite a little excitement has been occasioned, says the Ottawa Free Press, by the rumour that the Hon. D. L. Macpherson, Speaker of the Senate, had ordered the chair formerly occupied by the Princess Louise, on the throne in the Sanate Chamber, to be cut down and used as the Speaker's chair. Such vandalism, and the barefaced approprintion of what may be called a Canadian historical subject, by the Speaker of the Senate—who has the right to take the chair used by him as his own personal propertyhas_caused no end of comment. A reporter visited the Senate Chamber and found that the story is true; the only chair on the throne is that of the Governor-General, and the Princess' chair has been removed from its place. The curpenters have not yet com menced their work of descoration of the relic. and it is to be boped the Government will interpose, and not allow such yandalism by an officer of the Crown. The people of Canada prize the chair occupied by the Princess, and would rather see it placed among the other valuables in the bistorical museum than appropriated by the Speaker of the Senate and placed in his private residence as one of his his personal effects.

CLOTH FROM NETTLES Though not in these days generally cultiit is still mown several times a year as fod peerage affected a vast superiority over the der for the cows, whose milk it is found great. new-comers, and the wife of the Foreign ly to improve both in quality and quantity. Secretary (who had been a Court actress, for fishing-lines; in France they have been to an English baronetcy because, not having woven into so-called "grass-cloth;" and in be adel. However, the most plebelan of us suspecting paws. The rat was killed gan when cotton was introduced from Ame- traveller into his own compartment, and fuse to enter, the Professor uses wires. themselves in real earnest if they hoped to dreary business to the attermost act. but in Switzerland, Belgium, Hangary, Po- in the Thirty Years' War. For instance, of the block bounded by Bourth Avenue, Tyburnia Feb., 8 Chalmers land, Sweden, Austria, and North America. they would relate, amid a flood of anecdote Madison Avenue, Twenty-third and Twenty- W. Siegtried Two years later the first Garman "China- about the Royal, bigamons, and left- second Street. The current was turned on grass" manufactory was established by Herr banded marriages of the princes, stories of at 11 o'clock at night, and at seven the next F. C. Seidel in Dresden, and after many sovereigns whom it is difficult to believe morning 281 cats were found dead on the failures and much expense he has succeeded contemporary with their boyhood. Baron top of the fence, while some more had fallen in spinning the nettle-fibre in a manner Grote of the Harz was sovereign over one to the ground. The demonstrative efficiency

PUMPERNICKEL IN THE MARKET. Grehweiler at a cost of 180,000, and kept Saxe-Coburg-Gotha is not to be mediatised, Moors, and a bodyguard of six mon. The and that the Hereditary. Duke has not sold | Count of Lemberg-Styum had an army of one his birthright for a mess of Prussian pottage | colonel, six officers, and two privates; and It requires a long memory to remember Count Wilhelm of Buckeburg, who built and when the same little byplay of communiques garrisoned Wilhelmsburg, to defend, as Cotton Yarn, No. 16 to 24, per 4001 bs. \$83.50 to 93.00 and contradictions did not go on. But somebody has said, a cabbage-garden and Cotton Yarn, No. 23 to 32, per 4001 bs. \$111,00 to 116.50 there is really no necessity for all this an observatory with a poor telescope, was all laughing over the diplomacy of Humburg- Countess caught us, no matter how we Schlippenschloppen and Pumpernickel, there turned !- World.

were a score of places which might have sat I learn from the Freeman's Journal that for their portraits, though the present Mrs. Mary Gravely, of Baily's Cross Road, has generation may possibly regard the whole as a cow which, about four months ago, had its a pleasant farce, as much like anything self a wife was exceedingly tender to her in right front leg out off below the knee by a which existed, as Gerolstein was to a possible epithet; his frequent address to her was railway train. A veterinary surgeon dressed duchy. But in 1847 there had not as yet " My lamb." One day a dirty-faced little the wound, and tied up the arteries so skil- been a year of resolution, which forced all boy asked for a toy, and the busy toyman fully that the cow recovered. She was kept the puny princes to mend their ways, and said, "My lamb, serve that boy, please." in the stable until a few days ago, when a Saxe-Coburg and Saxe-Weimar-which were, The boy was served and sent away, but soon Benlaria neighbour, a cabinet-maker, made for her a of course, Pumpernickel and Humburg- returned to have his toy changed. The toy- Bivonso wooden leg, which was strapped to the Schlippenschloppen-were scarcely excep- | man doubted whether it had been bought at Bothwell Castle stump. The cow hopped along holding the tions among their kindred. Indeed, had his shop, and asked; "Who served you?" injured leg up for a day or two, but now the novelist tried, he would have failed to The lad replied, "It war the lamb, sir." she has concluded to use the wooden attach- portray any such satires on mankind as were The toyman exchanged the toy, and for the ment, and limps around quite comfortable a few years carlier played in every one of the future addressed his wife as if she were a then existing three hundred principalities, rational-creature. and thousands of baronies, lordships. seignories, and countships, and the head of every one of which was, to all intents and purposes, an independent sovereign. So close indeed was the family likeness of

these tiny monarchies, that one description might have sufficed for all of them. In every one of them was an airy market-place surrounded by stuccoed houses, and diverging from it narrow streets, in which smiths and the open spaces farmers' wagons stood horse. less and driverless. Children swarmed in the roadway; and when the Eilwagen drove in from Donaueschingen or Aschaffenburg twice a day, a legion of heads were protruded from the windows. There was no division of ranks so far as 'quarters' were concerned. The Prime Minister lived over greengrocer's shop; and when one went to the Hof-Marschall's Wednesday reception on the first floor of Friedrich-strasse, No. 3. was convenient to remind the laundress, who lived on the fourth eahl, that your shirts bad not been sent home. There was: of course, the Residenz and the Park, with evening, and bobbed to their jovial Prince as he took the air with his courtiers. Shut with only one weekly newspaper, which was carefully edited, there was absolutely little to stir the languid passions. Accordingly we occupied ourselves with the quarrels of vated, at least in Europe, the despised nettle the Diplomatic Corps, factions of the was at one time, and that for several centu- Strumpff and the Lederlung, or with speries, held in high honour and esteem through- culations over the individuality of the times, injuring him, so severely that he out the world. In an old medical book of travellers who had taken the ladgings in the "dropped like a log" and refused to go on. Guardian the fifteenth century, many pages are devot- Auguste Platz, "Were they noble?" was the ed to a description of its healing virtues. query, and above all, were they 'imme-During the Irish famine, it is said that hun- diate '? that is, did they exercise independent dreds of poor people subsisted entirely upon authority on the estates? And as no Engit; while in Russia, Sweden, and Holland, lish noble is 'immediate,' the Donnerwetter

compete successfully with their neighbours | Morals were easy in Sonder-Donnerwetter, assorted rodents have been found the next in the future, Professor Rauleaux, their ro. If the visitors were strict they might fre- morning standing in hungry attitudes over per methods of cultivating it. For the most entertaining one. There had been two Very few cats are found on the roofs of city Urlica dioica, and made her first ex- them. The Prince was in the habit of pay- strictly confined are city cats to back fences appear, because the peasants could not be him freely, cleared off with the chef de cuisine, as extinct as the dodo. The electric cat nettle, Madame Roeszler-Lade applied to listen to. An honest woman and a faithful when the current is turned on. The midhim for advice, and then planted her nettles husband seemed unknown in the Residenz; hight cat mounts the back fence only to be on a piece of poor, rocky ground, having but Stadt, while the improving anecdotes related stricken with instantaneous death. She a thin layer of soil; and this time she suc- of the female literati who affected her Serence utters no moan, and her attitude is so Anna Sieben ceeded so well that, at an agricultural ex- Highness's circle were extremely juicy. natural that it creates no suspicion in the Chinatah hibition held in the autumn of 1877, she And now and then there would roll in from minds of other cate. In fact, the more Florence Treat Feb. 16 Dobson was able to exhibit specimens of nettle-fibre distant chateaux ancient barons in ancient thickly the top of any given back fence G. H. Wappans Mar. in all stages of preparation, ending with the coaches, with ancient serving-men, who becomes crowded with dead cats the more H. Upmann Mar. spun yarn. This was a triumph, and the seemed to have arrived from another world. anxious other cats become to join the crowd James 8. Stone Mar. unbelievers who had turned up their noses Their talk was of the past. Their tradi- and take part in what they imagine to be a Kolya in derision, were now convinced, and bun- tions extended to pre-Napoleonic days; and great feline gala concert. The electric cat Kolga dreds determined to begin growing nettles their memories were full of reminiscences of specific was recently tried in connection with Pearl without delay, and this not only in Germany, the old counts and barons who had served the back fence running through the interior. The name Mar

which is perfectly satisfactory. He uses the farm, and saluted Friedrich the Great when of Prefessor Robinson's great invention will

common nettle, but prefers the Chinese net- he passed that way with the exclamation, insure its rapid and general adoption, and Kozaki Maru tle as yielding, at present, a better-looking 'Voild deux sonversins qui so rencontrent!' thus electricity will once more have conferred Siberia

and much stronger fibre. - Cassell's Family Carl Magnus, Count of Salm Grumbach, a signal blessing upon the human race. S'noura Maru Fab.

with an income of 60,000 gulden, built - New York Times.

And so we are requested to state that lords and ladies in waiting, hussars, heyducks, of the dukedems into which Ernest I. parti- peasant who was accused of poaching. The Handkorchiefs, Brown, per dozon \$0.55 to 0.62 of us who have pleasant memories of these by shooting water-pots off his female sideiugs of the world will regret to witness subjects' heads; and Count Charles of Turkey Red Shirtings, 3 lbs., per piece \$1.75 to 2.40 their gradual extinction by the bearish Zweibrucken, who diverted himself with Volvot Rlack, 32 inches, per yard....... \$0.18 to 0.19 government certainly, and they were far nearly killed a foreigner for not uncovering Velveteens, Gentian, per yard 40.28 to 0.29 from moral. But in the happy days before as he passed the palace. Even we in Sonder- White Shirtings, 54 to 60 reed, perplace, \$2.15 to 2.35 such image-breakers railways, and telegraphs, Donnerwetter had our grievances; for the White Shirtings, 63 to 80 rood, per piece \$2.45 to 2.60 and constitutions, and liberty of the press Duke had given the monopoly of brewing to White Shirtings, 63 to 80 rood, per piece \$2.80 to 3.35 to 3.50 t were dreamt of a foreigner blessed with a Sophia Grafin von Unzucht (geb. Muller), White Shirtings, 7,000 reed, per piece... sense of humour could live very pleasantly, and the Countess browed such poor stuff White Shirtings, AA, per plede......... and withat cheaply, in those secluded that either we were forced to make wry faces and withat cheaply, in those secluded that either we were forced to make wry races White Shirtings, MH, per piece microcosms of Royalty. Thirty-five years ago and drink it, or to buy foreign liquor. But White Spotted Shirtings, per piece..... -Eheu fugaces !- whon Thackeray sets us as this was weighted with a heavy duty, the White Brocades, per piece

> THE TOYMAN'S "LAMB." A toyman who had recently taken to bim-

A NINETEENTH CENTURY PASTIME. "A" purring match," or, in other words, a scientific shin-kicking contest, took place at Camden, New Jersey, on the 12th ult, and excited much interest. The principals were two men named Robert Tavish and David Ronam McWilliams, and the stakes 250 dols. a side. Both were knee breeches, and were barecoopers worked before their duors, and in all legged from knee to ankle. McWilliams wished the "purring" to be conducted with regulation shoes—that is to say, brogans with a crescent-shaped piece of horn set in Lydis the toe. Tavish objected, on the ground that he did not wish to be crippled for life; and, after much wrangling, it was decided that the men should " purr " with a new pair of "No. 7 brogans." After shaking bands. the kicking began. For five minutes the Thates men danced round each other exchanging Tooman kicks which did not take effect. In the second round Tavish managed to plant a White Cloud severe kick on McWilliams's left leg, and, in the third round, two on his right leg. Mc-Willams was, however, playing a waiting the cafe where the citizens drank beer in the game, and his friends backed him at double odds. Their confidence was not misplaced; for, although Tavish had the best of the off from the woold by long rutty roads, and fourth, fifth, and sixth rounds, in the seventh round McWilliams "forced the kicking," and from this time to the end of the contest | Chandernagor " went as he pleased," making ugly cuts or Carnatiz bruises every time be kicked. And although | Chas. G. Rice Tavish rallied in the fifteenth round, in the Coloms twenty third McWilliams kicked him five Cyprus Mc Williams, therefore, got the stakes. A Harvard pretty nineteenth-century pastime this. -St. James's Gazette.

AN ELECTRIC "BAT TRAP." The discovery that the wires of the electric light form the most efficient of all rat-traps was made accidentally. The electric light though they will not touch it in its green state. and a favourite of the reigning duke) refused suddenly went out one night in a private Penobscot In Hamschatka the fibres have long been used to allow her daughters to dauce with the heir bouse, and, on examination, it was found Phonix that a rat had touched the two wires in the P.N. Blanchard made into paper; in Hindustan and China, von' before his name, he could not possibly collar and thus closed a circuit with his un-Scotland, and some parts of England the were hoffahig, or courtworthy. Every day stantaneously by the electric current, and his stalks have been dressed, spun, and weven the hospitable Prince sent for the guest-book body ramained, with one paw uplifted, in into linen as good as that made from flax; of the Prophet Inn to see who had arrived. precisely the attitude in which death overwhile the old German onme for muslin, And before next evening there came in due took the unfortunate animal. The hint thus Star Queen "nettle-cloth," shows that it must have been form an invitation to the theatre, where the furnished has been used by Professor Smith, Wagrien at one time extensively used for weaving pur. Duke's operas were performed. The burgers and is the basis of his electric rat and mouse Wandering Jew Feb. 26 poses on the Continent. The change in the had their tier of boxes, and the nobles loges annihilator. Instead of an elaborate trap, estimation in which the nettle was held be- in the first circle; but the Prince took the which rats and mice of any intelligence rerica, now a century or more ago; and in entertained him with beer, porcelain pipes, all sides of the cellar, and at a height of two a few years the home-grown plant was and terrible talk. How do you like it? he inches from the ground, is placed a small Yot-sai entirely superseded by the foreigner and once asked a wearied Britan whom he had wooden trough sprinkled with cheese, while sank into the state of utter neglect noticed yawning during the performance of a on each side of the trouth run the electric and oblivion in which it has, remain- sentimental play in seven acts. Your Serene wires which furnish light to the rest of the ed till within the last few years, when Highness, was the polite reply, it is so house. The mice and rate are naturally efforts have been made in Germany to draw excellent that I could wish to see it all over attracted by the cheese, and in endeavouring attention once more to its capabilities and again! The Prince grinned. 'Hi, hi!' he to reach it touch the two wires and are good qualities. After the Exhibition in cried to the stage manager; here is an Eng- instantly killed. This admirable invention Philadelphia, when it became evident to the lishman who would like to see it all again; will clear a house of rats and mice in a German manufacturers that they must bestir and so the audience were forced to sit out the single night, and in some places where it Kwongsong, has been tried no less than three gross of presentative in America, spriously advised quent the rival Court of the Dowager the fatal trough. It is obvious that this them to turn their attention to their own Duchess, the reigning Duke's stepmother, admirable invention will entirely supersede Argos native industrial products, with a view to and listen twice a week to long haired poets the old-fashioned traps, and that its uni- Annie becoming less dependent on foreign countries. spouting their verses, or budding dramatists versal adoption will lead to the total exter- Froblich He reminded them amongst other things of rehearing their new plays to a jealous circle. mination of rate and mice. Professor Omega the stinging-nettle, and then people suddenly There were countesses and baronesses here Robinson, in his electric cat specific, has Rosebud remembered that it had once been as highly galore, all with innocent face, floods of senti- made yet another application of the electric Taiwatt esteemed as flax and hemp, and scientific ment, and some fifty pounds a year to their light wires. As is well known the urban men began to talk and write about the pro- name. But the Duke's Court was the most car inhabits the back fonces of city lots. part, however, it was the foreign species duchesses, but one was dead and the second houses, doubtless for the reason that the Albatros which found favour in their eyes, and above divorced, though the loose-living Prince had roofs are flat, and hence are destitute of a Assens all the snow-white, stingless Chinese nettle, plenty of other ladies to console him. A ridge-pole on which the cat can sit and Anguste which yields a glossy fibre, like the finest rope-dancer was last year the reigning fa- obtain an uninterrupted view of the neigh Faugh Balaugh Mar. silk or spun-glass. An enterprising lady, vourite, but she married a baron of very bourhood. Sitting on the edge of the fence, Gitanilla however, Madame Roeszler-Lade, had al. blue blood, and, in order to mate with him, the cat can watch the approach of enemies Hills Maria ready determined to try what could be done had ber dead ancestors empobled for sixteen with or without bootjacks, and can take the common stinging-nettle, the generations, or as far as she could recollect proper measures for avoiding them. So Velox periment on her own estates in 1837. It ing visits to Italy and returning with a new that could we capture every one who mounts failed, simply and solely, as it would left-handed duchess, who, after plundering a fence we should soon rouder the city out induced to do as they were told, and were or married the Hof-Prediger, who in due specific is a system of electric wires running absolutely contemptuous when directed to time became a bishop. As the Duke was, along the tops of back fences. Like the Mine treat the nettle-stalks as they did their so were his courtiers and courtieresses, wires of the burglar discourager, they are him to be the burglar discourager, they are homp. But now, when Professor Reulenux Indeed the tales told in the rival spires at harmless in the day time when the current came forward as the champion of the native the Dowager Duchess's were scandalous to is cut off, but are eminently deadly at night

RONGKONG MARKETS. AS REPORTED DE CHENRAS ON THE 20TH MAR., 1883. and contradictions did not go on, But there is really no necessity for all this in observatory with a poor telescope, was an observatory with a poor telesco squared, and the rederal Council is agree. clad in his jack-boots and pigtant. On one able, there is hardly a soul outside the ranks occasion he spring over a wall right into the of the Saxon nobility who would care one stiver whether the Ernestine line became stive with the present duke, or went marching on in the person of his nephew.

A pointy Thuringian Resident Stade would imagine a person less suited than the Duke draw the plough for life, as a punishment GroyT. Clothe, 24yds. & 32 in. 6lbs. p. pe. \$1,20 to 1.25 Lead, Hole Chop, per picul.................... \$5.05 to 5.10 Dates, Black, per picul Tls.4.4.5 to 45.5 Elephant's Teeth, 7 to 8 pieces......... \$200 to 220 Yet, though politically the fate of the tenth Nassau beat to death with his. own hand a Handkerchiefs, Blue, per dozen \$0.60 to 0.65 Steel, Swedish, per tub........................ 34:15 to 4.25 Spelter, per pionl \$5.60 to 5.65 Flour, California, per sack of 50 lbs...... \$1.43 to 1.54 tioned his domains is of no importance, many

Of us who have pleasant memories of these by shooting water-pots off his female Sandal Wood, Malabar, per pioni 54:30 to 4.85 Sandal Wood, South Seas, perpicul ...\$21.50 to 23.55 Sapan Wood, Manila, perpicul....... \$1.45 to 1.65 Sapan Wood, Siam, per picul..... Almonds, per pleul\$23.00 to 23.50 Ginseng, American, 1st quality, p. piont. \$300 to 255 Ginsong, American; 2nd quality, p. piont. \$160 to 210 Hams, Ordinary, per piont. Tls.17.7.0 to 18.0.0 Sugar, Shok-lung, White, No. 1, p.pol ... \$7.50 to 8.05 BHIPPING IN THE CHINA WATERS. DESTINA-DESTINA-FLAG. CAPTAIN. CONSIGNEES. TION. TION. AND RIG. TERRELS. ARRIVAT ARRIVAT YOKOHAMA. HONGKONG. TAMERS. IN PORT ON 16TH MARCH, 1883. 1488 | Jardine, Matheson & Co Mar. 29 John Darly Douglas Lapraik & Co Mar. 27 Goddard 50 F. Retz Sternberg Rus. soh A. Cashman 1482 Gibb, Livingston & Co Mar. 25 Clark Mar. 27 Campbell 50 H. Cook Alexander Carlson Am. sch 831 Tunz Kas Brit. str 52 J. D. 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